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Dear Mr. Carpenter:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-You have failed to designate Centura Bank and Central Carolina Bank & Trust Co., as depositories on your Statement of Organization (FEC FORM I). Commission Regulations require that each political committee disclose the name of its campaign depository or depositories (State banks, Federally chartered depository institutions or depository institutions the depositor accounts of which are insured). Please amend your Statement of Organization (FEC FORM I copy attached) to disclose all committee depositories.

-Schedule A of your report discloses earmarked contributions through a conduit. Please be reminded that when a committee receives an earmarked contribution(s) through an allowable conduit, each individual contribution should be itemized when the individual's total contributions to your committee aggregate over \$200 per calendar year. This itemization must include the full name, address, occupation, and employer of the individual contributor along with the date the contribution was received by the conduit.

In addition, the total contribution(s) received through the conduit should be itemized on Schedule A as a memo entry. The conduit's full name and address (and occupation and employer if the conduit is an individual) must